

Docket No. 3350-0005I

Client No. Ebill-I

File No. 1158.41315CC8



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/892,628
Confirmation No. : 5979
Applicant : Kitchen et al.
Filed : June 28, 2001
TC/A.U. : 3628
Examiner : Richard C. Fults
Customer No. : 20457

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COMMUNICATION TO GROUP DIRECTOR
FOR TECHNOLOGY GROUP 3600

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 3, 2003

Dear Group Director John Love:

A formal request for status on the above-referenced application was filed on August 18, 2003.

Because we did not receive a timely response to our status request, we further filed a Communication to SPE Hyung Fough on August 18, 2003 requesting his/her assistance in obtaining a response to our status request.

We still have not received a response to our original status request filed on April 9, 2003. Additionally, we have had no reply to the follow on communication to the SPE filed on August 18, 2003.

Accordingly, we would appreciate your assistance in obtaining a prompt reply to our request for a status of the above-reference application.

Please feel free to contact the undersigned should you have any questions regarding the above or the prior filings.

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Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully submitted,
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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Alfred A. Stadnicki', is written over a horizontal line.

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